

EFIRD'S

SHOE SALE

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\$30,000.00 Shoe Stock \$30,000.00

We have the most complete stock of Shoes in this section of the State, and we are now putting on the greatest Shoe Sale this section has ever heard of. We buy Shoes by the Car Load for 33 Stores and we get them CHEAPER than the average merchant. Price Absolutely Forgotten. We must clear our shelves of Summer Shoes. Come! Don't Forget, EFIRD'S SAVES YOU MONEY.

Efird's Brought Prices Down in Sumter

LADIES' SHOES

- \$10.00 Suede and Satin Pumps, the newest styles and best grades, a value you will not forget ----- \$5.98
- Lot No. 1422 Ladies' Black Kid strap Pumps, high heels, you will need this one \$3.95
- Lot No. 902 Ladies' Black Kid Oxfords, Welted sole, a value you will not forget ----- \$5.85
- Lot No. 814 Ladies' Black Kid Pumps High Louis Heel, a real value ----- \$5.85
- Lot No. 1442 Ladies' White washable kid strap Pumps, high Louis heels, a value you cannot forget ----- \$5.98
- Lot No. 3074 Ladies' Brown Kid Oxfords, Military heels, a real value ----- \$2.95
- Lot No. 5506 Ladies' Brown Kid Oxfords, low heels, rubber heels attached ----- \$3.98
- Lot No. 506 Ladies' White Reign cloth Oxfords and Pumps, \$7.50 value, special ----- \$5.98
- Pice & Hutchins Brown Kid Brogue Oxfords, an \$8 shoe, special price ----- \$4.98
- Lot No. 401 Ladies' Brown Kid Oxfords Rubber heels, welted soles, \$6 shoe, at ----- \$3.98
- Lot No. 31304, Ladies' Tan Brogues, low heel and worth \$5, special ----- \$2.98
- Lot No. 3042 Ladies' Brown Kid Pumps, one strap and worth \$5, sale price ----- \$2.95
- Lot No. 1437 Ladies' Dark Tan Oxfords Brogue Effect and worth \$6, special ----- \$3.95

NOTICE

These are all New Shoes, bought this season, and nothing but the newest and best in shoes are advertised for this sale, because we have no old shoes to advertise.

NOTICE

To the first ten ladies purchasing a pair of shoes Friday morning, we will present them with a pair of bed room slippers absolutely Free. Value of above is \$2.00.

NOTICE

To the first ten gentlemen making purchase of a pair of shoes Friday morning we will give Absolutely Free the Best Pair of Men's black silk hose in the house. Value \$1.50.

- Stock No. 610 Men's Tan Calf Rubber heel Brogue Oxfords, Bal. strap, special ----- \$4.98
- Stock No. 600 Men's Tan English Oxfords, worth \$6, special price ----- \$3.98
- Stock No. 601 Men's Tan Oxfords, Blucher last, \$6, special price ----- \$3.98
- Stock No. 504, Men's Tan English Oxfords, rubber heels attached, special ----- \$4.98
- Stock No. 602 Men's Black Kid Oxfords, rubber heel attached, special price ----- \$3.98
- Men's E. C. Scuffers, Ventilated Oxfords, dark tan and worth \$5, special ----- \$3.98

33 STORES!

COUNTER NO. 1

On this counter you will find Black Kid Oxfords, black one-strap and tan Pumps, in fact, almost any shoe you want, special ----- \$2.95

COUNTER NO. 2

On this counter you will find children's sandals, most any size and worth \$1.50, sale price ----- 85c

COUNTER NO. 3

This counter has loads of Men's Sandals and a few for boys and girls, \$3.00, sale price \$1.95

COUNTER NO. 4

100 Pairs Ladies' Black Kid high heel high shoes and there are values to \$6, nothing larger than a No. 5, special price ----- \$1.00

COUNTER NO. 5

- This counter contains men's and boys' Scout Shoes, \$3 values special ----- \$1.85
- Stock No. 453 Boys' Dark Brown Brogue Oxfords, \$6 value, sale price ----- \$3.95
- Boys' E. C. Scuffer Sandals, both English and Blucher styles, special ----- \$2.98
- Stock No. 5503 Misses' Low Oxfords, rubber heels, wide toes, special ----- \$3.98
- Stock No. 5508 Dark Brogue effect Oxfords, low heels, extra sizes, 2 1/2 to 6 ----- \$3.98
- Children's Shoes, E. C. Scuffers, Oxfords and Sandals, special \$1.50 to 2, special sale price now ----- \$1.85 to \$2.18

Efird's Will Also Keep Prices Down

EFIRD'S DEPARTMENT STORE, SUMTER, South Carolina.

NOW IS BEST TIME TO PLANT COVER CROPS

They Add Humus, Accumulate Nitrogen, Prevent Erosion and Loss of Plant Food—Varieties Adapted to Different Sections—Sow in Time to Secure Good Growth.

Planting cover or green manure crops is a matter which requires attention in August or September in most parts of the United States, say experts of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Clover, vetch, and other legumes serve the purpose of adding humus to the soil, accumulating nitrogen, and preventing soil erosion. With some tender berry and fruit crops they also serve to protect the roots from severe winter weather. Outside of the nitrogen-forming plants, rye is largely used as a cover crop sown in the fall and plowed under in the spring to add organic matter to the soil. The cover-crop problem varies largely with locality, but for over-winter purposes there is one rule which is universal, and that is to get the crop in the ground in time to secure good growth before freezing weather.

A Practice of Long Standing
The use of clover or some other legume to enrich the soil is generally considered a cardinal agricultural practice in the humid sections of the United States. It antedates by three-fourths of a century the monumental discovery that legumes store up nitrogen from the air. The belief that clover was a valuable improver rested first on experience, and later experience was substantiated by the discovery of the relation between the legume and the nodule bacteria.

Other legumes, as the cow pea, the Japan clover and bur clover in the south and crimson clover on the Atlantic coast, have come into use in the territory not well adapted to red clover. The various vetches are held in

widespread favor, different varieties being employed according to climate and crop conditions.

The time of planting and the best crop to use is a matter which local conditions must dictate. Along the north Atlantic coast it is considered best to get these crops in from the first to the middle of August, while in the extreme south the planting may be deferred to early October. In the extreme north hairy vetch is favored as a legume, cover, or green manure crop, but rye is also largely planted. From middle Pennsylvania to the north Alabama line crimson clover gives good results. In the extreme south bur clover, vetch, and crimson clover are used, as well as velvet bean and cow peas.

In the extreme southwest, particularly with the orchardists of southern California, common vetch is sown in the fall and turned under as early as possible in the spring. Purple vetch is preferred, as it can be turned under one month earlier than other varieties, but until recently there has been extreme scarcity of seed, a condition which is being remedied through the efforts of the department in getting the seed grown in more northern sections of the coast.

When to Sow Cover Crops
Sour clover is used to a large extent, as the seed is cheaper than that of the vetches. Further north on the coast common vetch gives good results while east of the mountains in the northwest hairy vetch is used because of its cold-resistant properties.

Methods with cover crops vary greatly. In the south they are customarily sowed between rows of cotton at the last picking. It is also common to sow the winter crop between corn rows before harvest. Wherever clean cultivation is practiced the soil is likely to be in shape for broadcasting the seed. If convenient, it can be harrowed in. In orchards a light harrowing or disking may be employed if the ground is free from sod. Care must, of course, be taken not to injure the roots. The crop is usually plowed under in the spring, but this is not always done with orchards. Data collected in all parts of the United States shows a general benefit from this form of agriculture.

Cover crops are of especial value to small gardens and truckers, who often find it both difficult and expensive to obtain stable manure. They add the humus which is so necessary to maintain a good physical condition

of the soil. Wherever there is a vacant place in the garden a few seeds of rye, vetch, clover, etc., may be sown and raked in. If a suitable rotation of crops is followed all parts of the garden may be covered with a green manure crop once every two or three years.

MRS. DUKE WEDS

Durham, N. C., July 24.—The marriage of Mrs. Brodie L. Duke, the fourth wife of the late founder of the tobacco industry in Durham, to Isaac R. Strayhorn, prosecuting attorney for Durham county, was announced today.

The marriage took place this morning in Asheville, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. Willis Clark, rector of the Christ church, Asheville.

Mrs. Duke was prior to her first marriage Miss Wylanda Rochelle of this city. Her marriage to the noted millionaire was only a few years prior to his death. She inherited the bulk of his million dollar estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Strayhorn will be guests at a hotel in Asheville for several days, and will afterwards take a trip to Northern summer resorts. They will return to Durham early in August and will make their home here.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All persons having claims against the Estate of E. B. Gamble, deceased will present them duly attested and those owing said Estate will make payment to the undersigned qualified Administratrix of the said Estate.

Gertrude Gamble, Administratrix.
Manning, July 11, 1921. 28-41-c.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE

Pursuant on an order of J. M. Windham, Judge of Probate, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the residence of Gertrude Gamble, in the town of Manning, on Wednesday the 27th day of July, 1921 at 11 o'clock a. m. the following personal property: One second hand Ford touring car, one dresser, one organ and some other household goods.

Gertrude Gamble, Administratrix.
Manning, July 11, 1921. 28-41-c.

TRESPASS NOTICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 241, Criminal Code of South Carolina, notice is hereby given that the lands of the Brooklyn Cooperage Company leased from the Santee River Cypress Lumber Company in Clarendon County are posted, and all persons entering without authority upon the same will be duly prosecuted. Brooklyn Cooperage Company. Georgetown, S. C.

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